

Lake Whatcom Comments

Comment Cards - September 22, 2003 Public Meeting/Public Hearing

<p>Name: Ron Pattern Org: Human race Address: 2409 Fir St. Bellingham, WA 98229 e-mail: patternart@yahoo.com</p>	<p>I am appalled at the way all the government agencies involved in managing the Lake Whatcom watershed are treating our drinking water. DNR does not have a positive track record on this issue. I don't think there should be any clearcutting period in our drinking water reservoir.</p>
<p>Name: Rose Lathrop Org: Address: 2713 McKenzie Ave Bellingham, WA 98225 e-mail: Lathror@cc.wvu.edu</p>	<p>If BNR rejects the Preferred Alternative, would the plan be reopened for public and interjurisdictional committee comment? It seems a monitoring organization should be established by the ID committee to regulate and monitor DNR activity to ensure actions follow Preferred Alternative.</p>
<p>Name: Keith Anderson Org: Address: 1915 Academy Rd. Bellingham, WA 98226 e-mail: ecokiko@aol.com</p>	<p>As a 25 year resident of the watershed, I support DEIS Alternative 3. I believe the cost-benefit analysis gives short shrift to the negative impacts of harvesting, such as introduction of exotic vegetation, damage to viewsheds and unknown cultural resources. Another source of trust funding must be found to replace timber harvesting.</p>
<p>Name: Carlby Fisher Org: Address: PO Box 2508 Bellingham, WA 98227</p>	<p>First of all, not a landscape plan but a logging plan. DNR is not responsive to public opinion. For example, recent logging above Glen Haven. Alternative 3</p>
<p>Name: Sally Manifold Org: Address: 2331 Lynn St. Bellingham WA 98225</p>	<p>Alternative 3 provides extra protection to unstable slopes, while simultaneously protecting riparian zones. A truly conservative approach! The wider riparian and wind buffers reflect the reality of consequences after harvest.</p>
<p>Name: Laurel Dodson-Glenn Org: Address: 682 Sudden Valley Bellingham, WA 98229 e-mail: jlgglenn@aol.com jlgglenn@aol.com?</p>	<p>Lake Whatcom watershed provides drinking water for Whatcom County. I recommend DNR consider managing the forest with no logging in the Lake Whatcom watershed. The clearcutting around the source of water in our county needs to stop. Continue the interjurisdictional committee.</p>